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Dr Jamela Al-Raiby WHO Representative to Jordan

WE AT WHO COUNTRY OFFICE (WCO) IN JORDAN

present you the first edition of WCO quarterly newsletter. The newsletter showcases WCO efforts in achieving Jordan's vision 2025 and its health priorities. Those efforts are the translation of Eastern Mediterranean vision 2023- "Health for All by All", in alignment with WHO global targets towards achieving Universal Health Coverage (UHC), Health Emergencies and Health and Wellbeing.

It highlights the quarterly achievements of WCO during first quarter of 2022, that was greatly supported by the effective partnership with Ministry of Health, national stakeholders, and development partners in Jordan, to meet the demands of Jordan's health priorities.

A delegation led by WHO Assistant Director-General in collaborations with MOH a mission conducted for Antimicrobial Resistance Dr Hanan Balkhy, Regional Office and WCO to discuss the *implementation of Jordan's national antimicrobial resistance action plan*.



The Jordan Food and Drug Administration (JFDA), in collaboration with the Ministry of Health and WCO, and with the participation of all health stakeholders in the country, launched a programme to *enhance* the capacities of the national pharmacovigilance system.



Funded by the European Union Syria Trust Fund, World Health Organization in Jordan in collaboration with the Royal Medical Services conducted a workshop to provide an *introduction* to health economics and application of key concepts for decision making process in health policy reforms.



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≪ WHO and other multilateral agencies in Jordan called for education to continue to be prioritized during COVID-19, and issued joint press release from UN agencies and development partners.

WHO mental health mission to Jordan conducted by WCO and Regional Office, to support implementation of the National Mental Health and Substance Use Action Plan (2022-2026) and the WHO Director- General's Special Initiative for Mental Health (2019-2023).





MASK UP campaign to follow precautionary measures to protect from COVID-19.

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Ministry of Health with the technical support of the WCO initiated a series of training workshops for health care professionals at primary health care level on the *prevention and control of cardiovascular disease risk factors* programme (HEARTS) aiming to enhance the early detection and control of hypertension, diabetes and cardiovascular risk.



A delegation from the WHO
Regional Office and WCO
conducted a *public health emergency preparedness, readiness and response mission in Jordan* to review and assess the current technical and operational capacities of the
Ministry of Health and country
office in Jordan to address public health emergencies.



DONT FORGET, COVID-19 IS NOT OVER YET













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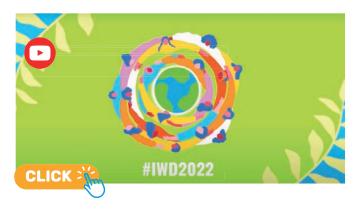
Representatives of WHO office in Jordan and the German Embassy in Amman handed over *IT equipment funded by Germany to Jordan* Food and Drug Administration to support national regulatory system and Emergency use authorization procedures for COVID-19.



Funded by the European Union Syria
Trust Fund, WHO Jordan and Ministry
of Health organized a
workshop to build consensus on
next steps to define a Priority
Benefit Package for Universal
Health Coverage ensuring equity of
access to health care in Jordan.

WCO CELEBRATES INTERNATIONAL WOMEN'S DAY







Following 3-day WHO visit to Jordan University Hospital aiming to *support the implementation of a the WHO Patient Safety Friendly Hospital Framework (PSFHF)*, an assessment was conducted to determine the level of patient safety at the system level.





Funded by the European Union Syria Trust Fund, Ministry of Health conducted a six-day training for mid-level immunization managers with support of WCO. National and sub-national immunization managers learnt up-to-date technical information on all components of the National Immunization Programme.

As part of the WHO Special Initiative for Mental Health in Jordan, A Training of Trainers and Supervisors was conducted on *WHO Mental Health Gap Action Programme (mhGAP)* targeting psychiatrists from the National Center for Mental Health, and partner organizations to enhance their skills, assess and manage priority mental, neurological and substance use (MNS) disorders.



With the generous support of The Federal Republic of Germany,
WHOJordan provided Ministry of
Health with *IT equipment to*strengthen data analysis and use as part of COVID-19 vaccine rollout.



ENVIRONMENT AT WCO

SAFE RAMADAN preparations for COVID-19





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It is an important
responsibility to be part
of the emergency
response during
COVID-19 in Jordan.
More importantly,
it has been a huge
learning public health
experience to serve the
population in crisis.

Dr Saverio Bellizzi Health Emergencies Lead

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Having worked with WHO for over 20 years, I have a privilege of working with diversified community at WCO, allowing me to be a part of this bigger family.

Zaid Al Momani Senior Driver

As a UN Volunteer working with communication team at WCO, I was provided with many learning opportunities to better enhance my skills to further contribute to "communicating for health" impact in Jordan.

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